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## SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Section 1, Special Branch

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Subject (in full) Threatening letters from Wang Ching Wei organizations to trading people in the Settlement.

Made by and Forwarded by D.I. Crawford

No reports have been made to the Police since October, 1939wherein Wang Ching Wei organizations have dispatched letters of a threatening nature to business people residing or carrying on business in the International Settlement. In this case of October 1939. Li Tsu Vei, manager of the China Chemical Industrial Company, 257 Honan Road, was instructed not to insert advertisements in the Chinese American Daily News or take the consequences.

A check has been made through P.A. to D.C. (Crime) and D. D.O.s of the different divisions, but no further cases have been unearthed.

Threatening Letter Cases

Attached hereto is a list of cases of intimidation by means of threatening latters for which the same Ching wei organisation in the western District, O.O.L., is believed to be responsible.

## LIST OF CASUS OF THREATENING LETTERS PURPORTING TO HAVE. EMANATED FROM THE WANG CHING WELL ORGANISATION

Date	Name & Address of Recipient	Name used by the sender	Delivered by
18.4.39	University Press 130 Wingpo Road.	China Youths' Patriotic National Salvation Group	by mail
	Standard 436 Foochow Rd.	( म्योत्स्यर्द्ध )	
	China Evening News, (Ta Wan Pao), Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII		
	Kuo Chi Jih Pao, Room 7, 304 Kiangse Rd		
	Sin Wan Pao; 274 Hankow Road.		
	Hwa Mei Wan Pao, 170 Ave. Ed. VII		
	Chinese American Daily Mews, Room 217, 160 Ave. Ed. VII.		
	Social Daily News, Room 320, 160 Ave. Ed. VII.		
	Eastern Times, 514 Hoopeh Road.		
	Ta Mei Pao, 19 Ave. Ed. VII.		

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refrain from publishing
articles of a proKuomintang nature, failing
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Intimidation raid on
the University Fress
by members of the
wang Ching Wei Clique
on 17.6.39.

Remarks

(File D.8339 -24.4.39)

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Date	Name & Address of Recipient	Name used by the sender	Delivered by	Summary or contents	Remarks
3.5.39	Zung Oh ( ), ), Manager of Times News Agency, Room 14, 34 Mingpo Read.	"XXXXX Group "	Mail	Threatening to use handgrenades to suppress his establishment.	Central F.I.R. 1229/39
7.5.39	H. Fleet, director of China Evening News, Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII.	China Youths Patriotic Nations Salvation Association	al Mail	Warning the management against publishing of articles of a pro- Nationalist Government nature	Central F.I.R. 1047/39
8.5.39	Senders-Bates of University Press Ltd., 130 Wingpo Rd.	-do-	Mail	-do-	-do-
8.5.39	H.M. Cumine, Managing-Director of the "Standard", 436 Foochor Road.		Mail	-do-	-do-
8.5.39	Chu Teo Dong ( to General Manager of the Rea Mei Wan Pao, 172	), -do-	Mail	-do-	-do-
8.5.39	Poyton-Griffin, Editor of North China Daily News, 17 The Bu	-do- ad	Mail	-do-	-do-
9.5.39	M.w.S. Kelembi, Managing-Director of Kuo Chi Jih Pao, Mana 7, 304 Kiengse Rd	-do-	Mail	-do-	-do-

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7	9 <b>.5.39</b>	Managing-Editor of China Press, 160 Ave. Ed. VII & reporters etc.	China National Salvation Service Group ( )	Mail	Warning against publishing anti- Japanese articles.	(FileD. 8339 - 20.5.39)
. 3	1.5.39	Tang Ming Shih( 2), Secretary to "Shun Pao" Daily News, Lane 771/12 Hart Rd.	Country Saving Labour Party, China	Mail	Warning him to cease publication of anti- Japanese articles in the "Shun Pao."	(Gordon Rd. F.I.R. 832/39)
	.5 <b>.6.39</b>	Westaff members of the "Eastern Times" 514 Moopen Road	Chinese Kuomintang Party Communist Eliminating & Mational Salvation Special Work Headquarters ( )	Wail	Warning against publishing of articles of anti- Wang Ching Wei or anti-leace Movement nature.	(Louza F.I.R. 2353/39)
1	5.6.39	All leading Chinese dailies, both foreign registered and Chinese owned.	Special Service Corps of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern and Mational Salvation Army	Mail	-do-	(File D.8339 - 19.6.39)
4	.7.39	King Hwa Ding( + 1), reporter of "Shun Pao" 309 Hankow Rd.	Special Service Corps of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern and National Salvation Army	unknown	Warning the recipient to cease publication of articles of a pro- Nationalist Government and Anti-Wang Ching Wei nature. Threatening drastic action to be taken should he fail to comply with the warning.	(File D.8339 - 2.11.39)
,	i.7.39	-do-	<b>-</b> do-	-do-	Warning the recipient to cease publication of pro-Communist, & pro-Nationalist Govt. article in connection with July 7	

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China Evening News Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII	China Kuomintang anti- Communist and National Salvation Special Labour General Headquarters	Mail	warning against the publishing of articles of a pro-Communist nature	(Central Misc. No. 616/39 )
Employees of the Hwa Mei Wan Pao, 172 Ave. Ed. VII	Special Service Corps of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern and National Salvation Army	Mail	Warning the recipients to clari their attitude within three day with regard to Wang Ching Wei's policy and threatening to take drastic action should they refuse to comply.	F.I.R. 2062,
19 employees of the Chinese American Daily News, 160 Ave. Ed. VII	<b>-d</b> o-	Mail	Warning the recipients to resignification baily News fabricated news in favour of Communist, fawhich the persons concerned will shot.	se F.I.R. No. false 2192/39) miling
		Mail	Warning the paper to suspend publication	The pelicy of the two papers is stated to be pro-National Govt. Attacked
Chinese American Daily News, 160 Ave. Ed. VII	The sketch of a machine gun and a grave is drawn at the end of the letter. No signature	Mail	<b>-</b> ₫ <b>o-</b>	with Pistols & handgrenades by a party from the Special Service Corps of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern & National Salvation Apmy (Wang Ching Wei clique on 22.7.39. (File D.9362)
	of Recipients  China Evening News Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Employees of the Hwa Mei Wan Pao, 172 Ave. Ed. VII  19 employees of the Chinese American Daily Mews, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Kanager of China Evenin Hews, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Chinese American Daily	China Evening News Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Employees of the Hwa Mei Wan Pao, 172 Ave. Ed. VII  Special Service Corps of the Ching Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern and National Salvation Army  19 employees of the Chinese American Daily News, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Manager of China Evening News, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Signed "The Leader"; a skull and cross bones are drawn undermeath the signature  The sketch of a machine gun and a grave is drawn at the end of the letter. No signature	China Evening News Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Employees of the Special Service Corps of Mail Employees of the Special Service Corps of Mail Employees of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern and National Salvation Army  172 Ave. Ed. VII  Part of Chinese American Daily Ewe, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Manager of China Evening Hewe, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Chinese American Daily Hews, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  The sketch of a machine gun and a grave is drawn at the end of the letter. No signature	China Evening News Room 309, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Employees of the Ewa Mei Wan Pao, 172 Ave. Ed. VII  Salvation Sevening Mail Warning the recipients to clarification and National Salvation Army  The employees of the Chinese American Daily News, 160 Ave. Ed. VII  Chinese American Daily News, 160 Ave. Ed. VIII

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June & July, 1939	1) The Ningpo Fellow countrymen's Association 480 Yu Ya Ching Rd.	Chinese Kuomintang M Youths' Anti- Communist Iron and Blood Group	e <b>ss</b> enger	Warning against holding of charity bazaar by the S'hai Vocational Women's Club, 120 Nanking Road	The bazaar which was eventually held in the premises of the S'hai Vocational Women's
	2) The Sun Co. Wanking & Yu Ya-ching Rds	( Halato attenden)		(Now inactive).	Club, (120 Manking Rd.) was on July 14, attacked by members of the Wang Ching Wei clique, two of whom were arrested
	<ol> <li>Dah Loh Radio Station, 851 Peking Rú.</li> </ol>				
	4) American Women's Club, 577 Rubbling Well Rd.				but later released by the Court of appeal, sentence being suspended. The promoter of the bazaar, a Chinese lady, named Mao Lee Ying( \$\frac{1}{2}\text{-}\text
25.8.39	A.H. Buchman, owner of Alexander Publishing Co., Lane 826/3 Haining Rd.	Youth Literary Anti- Communist Committee of the Chinese Kuominta (	Mail ng	Warning that the publication of the "Living Age" magazine should be ceased as it contains pro-Communistic articles on pain of severe action being taken. (D. 8339)	
27.10.39	Li Tsu Vei ( + / / / ),  Manager of China Chemical Industrial Co., 257 Honan Rd.	Chinese Kuomintang Cultured Youths Anti- Communistic Movement Committee	Nail	Warning against publishing advertisements in the Chinese American Daily News (alleged to be	Similar letters were also received by 20 individuals & concerns listed in Central Station Report of 31.10.39 (D.8149)

Daily News (alleged to be pro-Communist).

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13.11.39	C.D.S. 163 Loh Kung Dien ( )	2nd Regiment of Special Corps of the Three Principles Youths Salvation Army	Mail	Warning him to release members of an armed gang and to refrain from making further arrests	Suspected to have been sent by armed criminals in Fah Hwa Village & off extra Settlement Rds. in the Western District. (D. 9236)
30.11.39	Paul Y. Ru ( 7 1 1 ) Assistant Municipal Advecate, No. 4, Lane 37, Brenan Rt.	Les, The Patrictic Commandant	<b>kail</b>	Threatening the life of recipient should action be taken in court against a gang of armed criminals	Suspected tobe the work of persons connected with Wang Ching Wei's regime. (D. 9563)
<b>9.3.49</b>	Charles dispersed to continue to the continue	Anonymous	Hail	warning students against attending school.	Men of the Wang Ching Wei clique are suspected as one of the letters mentioned "You will be dealt with the same way as was Mao Lee Ying & Woo Moh Lai. (believed to have been assassinated by the Wang clique

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20-21.3.40 Local Trade Associations

Special Service Corps of the Chung Kuo Kuomintang Anti-Comintern & National Salvation Army

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warning against activities prejudicial to the "Peace Movement".

SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

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REPORT

Subject.

Enquiry concerning Josef WRICKER.

Made by

D. S. Hocking

Forwarded by D. I. Crawford

The name Josef MRICKER does not appear on the passenger manifest of the m.s. "Conte Biancamano" which arrived in Shanghai in September, 1939. A man of the same name landed in Shanghai from Nagasaki on October 14, 1939, per the s.s. "Nagasaki Maru" and departed for Dairen on October 21, per the s.s. "Tsingtao Maru". He stated himself to be of German nationality, 43 years of age, an engineer by profession and gave Siemens & Company as his local forwarding address. Nothing further regarding this man is contained in our files.

D. C. (Special Branch).